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Firemen didn't stay for the last ember

TAX RATE ABOUT \$38?

The Annual Town Meeting of 1966 is now history. The Wilmington Fire Department, which won a reduction in work hours, and then lost it by not staying at the meeting, is licking its bruises, and vowing to never again leave a Town Meeting until they are 'certain that the last ember is out'.

The dogs of Wilmington, unhampered by any Leash Law, are free to rummage around in any garbage pail which has not been placed underground, and to otherwise disport themselves.

An the Wilmington Finance Committee, which for several hours, tried to act like a Board of Selectmen, has now gone back to being a Finance Committee again.

The money voted in the Town Meeting will result in a tax rate of \$38.15, theoretically.

The actual sum will differ, because it is impossible to figure out what difference will be imposed by the Revaluation of Real Estate scheduled to take place this summer, nor by the effect of the Sales Tax.

The total sum of money appropriated was \$4,068,834. This, lessened by the sum of \$1,087,513 in Estimated Receipts leaves a total of \$2,981,321 to be raised by tax levy.

One factor of the town meeting that has alarmed some observers was that every cent in the Free Cash (\$186,361) was spent, to keep the tax rate down.

Sums of \$30,000 are frequently kept in the Free Cash as a cushion against unforeseen items in town meetings held later in the year. This year there is nothing, and the only money available to meet an emergency, is that in the Reserve Account, (\$50,000) of the Finance Committee.

Three Sessions

It was a Three Session Town Meeting, Saturday afternoon, Saturday evening, and then Monday evening.

It was reported before the Town Meeting that the Selectmen had an unofficial pool, with 50 cent contributions, as to the time that the

meeting was over. All bets were between 8 pm and 10 pm. If the report was true, the Selectmen had no winners of that pool.

One factor that led to the long meeting was the attempt by the Finance Committee to change the recommendations of the Town Manager and the Board of Selectmen, with respect to pay raises and schedules.

Resolution

Opening prayers were offered by Rev. H. Allen Tadgell, the new minister of the Congregational Church.

Selectman Lloyd Bender then offered a Resolution, to be presented to the Great and General Court, concerning the Ipswich River Bill, now in the legislature.

The resolution was adopted unanimously.

There were no Committee reports, and the town voted, under Article 3, the usual motion to allow the Treasurer to borrow money for the coming year.

Two Hour Fight

In the early part of Article 4, which is the Town Budget, Town Manager Dick Henneberger rose and told the people that there were two proposals, for the pay increases for town employees.

One, he said, was an across the

board increase of 3%.

The other was based on the principal of longevity. The TM said that this was his proposal, and that the employees were in favor of this proposal, 92 in favor and 37 opposed.

But, said the Town Manager, the Finance Committee had changed the picture so that the people were voting for the 3% raise.

Chairman Robert Barry of the Finance Committee told the meeting that the town, two years ago, had voted a compensation plan, and had established it. In comparable towns of 10 to 25 thousand,

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FINCOM Appointees

Will Have to Wait

Two men who were appointed to the Finance Committee Monday will have to wait for a clarification of their status, before they can take the oath of office before Town Clerk Esther Russell.

The appointment of Charles R Mather and Harry Stewart was announced in the Selectmen's meeting, Monday night.

They were appointed by the Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, Mrs Wavie Drew, and the Chairman of the Finance Committee, in a meeting in the Town Hall, at 5:30 pm Monday. Simon Cutter, Moderator of Wilmington, was not present at the meeting.

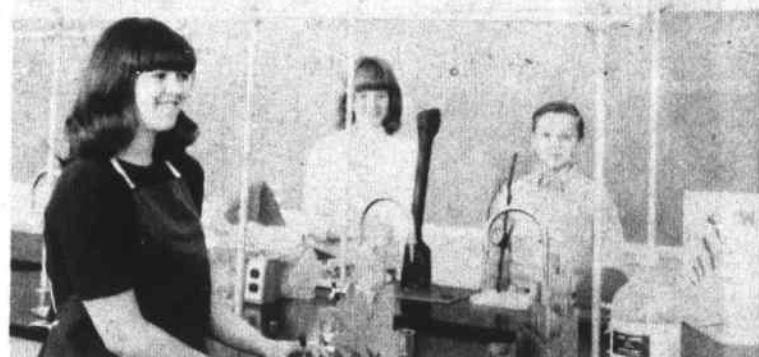
Mr Cutter told the Town Crier that his office, in Boston, had received a telegram, Monday noon,

announcing that a joint meeting of Mrs Drew, Mr. Barry and himself would be held in the Town Hall at 5:30 pm. He first learned of the telegram at about 3 pm when he called his office on the telephone.

He was unable to attend, he said, on such short notice. He had made an appointment, weeks before, to pass papers at a Stoneham office at the very hour called for in the telegram, for the meeting.

Mr. Cutter, after the Town Meeting, protested the election of the two new members of the Finance Committee, saying that he was supposed by law to have been present.

Acting Town Counsel Alan I Altman has advised the Town Clerk not to swear in the two new members until further notice from him.



SCIENCE FAIR PREVIEW: The Wilmington High School Science Fair will start Friday, at 3 pm, and will end that same evening, with awards to be given about 8:15 pm.

Christine Luken, at left, is working on her 'pH' project, having to do with Hydrogen Ion Concentrations, and Robert McAllister, at right, has as a project Termites and Microclimate Control in Termite Nests.

Anne Flaherty, center, is a Self Appointed Official Observer of the Science Fair projects.

Stadium People to be at C of C Luncheon

The Wilmington Chamber of Commerce luncheon, on March 31st, will have as guests Monte Green, Atty Roland E Wood, and E Hayward Bliss, CE, representing the North of New Boston Realty, Inc., the firm who is planning the new stadium for North Wilmington.

The luncheon will be at the Masonic Hall, at 12 noon. There will be a half-hour social hour, before the meal.

After the luncheon Mr Green and his associates will discuss details of the proposed stadium.

Chamber of Commerce members are being urged to attend, and to bring guests.

Scheduled to preside is newly re-elected president John Robert Evans. The luncheon committee is headed by Dr. Gerald Davis.

FRANCIS MULHOLLAND JR IS
CADET CAPTAIN AT
NORTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY

Francis Mulholland Jr., 225 Shawshen Avenue, rated as one of the outstanding cadets in the ROTC program at Northeastern University, has been promoted to Cadet Captain.

He was also assigned to be a team leader in the Counter Guerrilla Group, and was designated a Distinguished Military Student for his outstanding achievement in military science and in his regular studies.



TRUCK? LADDER? STILTS? Vandals, over the past weekend somehow were able to reach up about ten feet and destroy the sign of the Reading Co-Operative Bank, at its North Wilmington office. The sign had cost over \$500.

Ipswich River Resolution

The annual town meeting, last Saturday, voted to send this resolve to the State House, on motion of Selectman Lloyd Bender.

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, that we the voters of the TOWN OF WILMINGTON, AT TOWN MEETING assembled, this 12th day of March 1966, A.D. unanimously raise our voices in protest against HOUSE BILL No. 1115 because of the drastic and far reaching detrimental effects that this legislation will have on the future development of our community.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we respectfully ask the aid and assistance of the Honorable Governor and Members of the Great and General Court in defeating HOUSE BILL No. 1115.



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Historical Pictures



THE MIDDLESEX CANAL AQUADUCT: Across the Shawsheen River, as it appeared in a photograph taken before 1909. Many of the stones on the central abutment have since been knocked off, by ambitious young men. The canal ran between the two top piers of the central pier, carrying boats that were up to 50 tons, burthen.



THE TURNOUT BASIN: Which stood where Grace Drive is today, was about three acres in area. In this basin boats waited for their turn to use the aquaduct, which was for one way traffic only.



THE END OF THE 'SHAMROCK' a few weeks ago, when the 235 year old house, long famous in Wilmington history, was torn down. It was badly burned in a recent fire. The house was better known to recent residents as the '1730 House' and stood on Middlesex Avenue, in North Wilmington.



PHILIP BUZZELL: Speaking on the Library Question, was against federal aid.

HEART FUND DRIVE WAS PRODUCTIVE

General Chairman Robert F. Leahy, has expressed his sincere appreciation for the excellent job done in Wilmington by the Heart Fund volunteers.

The results of the drive, he said, are expected to exceed those of any year in the Heart Fund's 16 year history.

Residents of Wilmington, he said, were generous with both their time and their money.

Massachusetts ranks fifth in the nation for per capita Heart Fund giving, and is the nation's foremost center of cardio-vascular research. Wilmington, Leahy said, can be proud of its volunteers who serve as silent partners to the scientists devoted to conquering mankind's foremost killer.

CARD OF THANKS

A note of thanks to all who supported Article 36, in the Town Meeting.

David E. Wiberg
35 Birchwood Road

CARD OF THANKS

A very sincere thank you to the voters who supported the Wilmington Firemen, in the article for a shorter work week.

Next time the firemen will stay until the last ember is out.

The Wilmington Fire Dept.

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Any boy between the ages of fourteen and seventeen, and one who has demonstrated an interest in outdoor programs, compatible with the aims of Conservation, is eligible for consideration. Two Wilmington boys will be selected for the July session of the camp.

The Commission will be pleased to interview any qualified boy. The only requirements are: A written application, showing interest, to Chairman John Quinn, 522 Woburn Street, Wilmington; and a personal interview, with the board, at a later date.

Letters stating that the boy is interested in the camp, and would like to be considered for the scholarship, is all that is necessary. Priority will be given to boys without previous Conservation Camp experience. If more information is desired, Mr Quinn should be contacted.

TOWN MEETING

(From Page Thirteen)

Kelmon answered that it would. He then introduced Mrs Larz Neilson, Library Trustee, to talk on the subject of federal funds.

Mrs Neilson told the Meeting that there were no federal aid funds available for a project already started.

Waiting for federal aid, she said, would cause a delay of about a year in the project. Mrs Neilson said that 'If we comply with the federal aid program we are assured of a building in the future', and outlined some of the pending legislation in Congress.

Former Town Counsel Philip Buzzell expressed himself in favor of accepting the library article. He said that the most federal aid to any town or city in Massachusetts amounted to \$100,000, and then computed this, on a 20 year loan basis, to be a cost to the town (if the money were borrowed instead) to be 11 cents on the annual tax rate.

It does not seem worthwhile, he said, to delay a much needed project for 11 cents on the tax rate.

He drew the attention of the meeting to the size of the present library - 1100 square feet, and the size of the proposed library - 14000 square feet.

It was 9:15 pm when the vote was taken. The motion failed, 279 opposed to 157 in favor.

North School

The appropriation of \$60,000 for the repair of the roof of the North Intermediate School, article 27, followed the library article.

Bob Michelson, Chairman of the Permanent Building Committee, moved the article. He said the expenditure was necessary to protect an original investment of a million dollars.

Litigation, Michelson said, was proceeding with the architect, the roofing contractor and the building contractor, in three pending lawsuits. Michelson recommended the passage of the articles.

Both the Board of Selectmen and the Finance Committee approved, and after some discussion as to whether or not the contractors etc were working on the present building project, and assurance from Michelson that they were not, the article passed on a voice vote at 9:30 pm.

Town Clerk Articles

Mrs Esther Russell, Town Clerk had two articles, one requiring the obtaining of nomination papers 48 working hours before the filing deadline, and the other setting the hours during which the polls would be open, in the by-laws.

Selectman Paul Niles and Capt Larz Neilson objected to the article placing restrictions on the filing of nomination papers as an encroachment on individual freedom. Niles said that it would prevent a candidate from deciding to run at the last minute.

Mr Miceli said he could see nothing wrong with the article.

Joseph Courtney, former Town Manager, cross examined Mrs Russell, as she stood on the platform, and at the conclusion stated that the article does more than is necessary. He added that he had appointed Mrs Russell to her office and she is 'one of the finest officials' he had appointed.

The moderator was in doubt as to the voice vote. A count, 143 in favor, and 209 against, was announced by Cutter, who grinned as he said 'as she weeps'.

Mrs Russell's second article met a different fate. The purpose was to definitely place in the by-law the hours that the polls would open in town elections (10 am) and the

hour the polls would close (8 pm). Selectman Bender was against the article, saying that it was, in effect, restrictive, and that the Selectmen would not be able to open the polls at an earlier hour, if needed.

The article carried on a voice vote.

Water Extension

An amusing situation developed when the town considered Article 31, a water main extension for two homes on Andover Street, to be done under the Betterment Act.

The article was moved by Water Commissioner Blake, and he moved that the \$900 necessary be transferred from the Williams Ave Betterment Account.

Marion Boylen, who is the chairman of the Board of Health, rose to object to the transfer from the Williams Avenue Account. Her son, George Boylen, is a member of the Finance Committee, which had recommended the transfer.

Mrs Boylen moved to amend the article, asking that the funds be appropriated from taxation.

Mrs Boylen told the Town Meeting that the funds should be retained in the Williams Avenue account until repairs to the street surface had been made, following the installation of a water main last year.

Finance Committee man George Boylen said that perhaps a public commitment on the part of the Water Commissioners would alleviate his mother's fears, and Moderator Si Cutter joked about family squabbles.

Arnold Blake, the Water Commissioner, told the meeting that there would be sufficient money in the account, to repair the street where the installation of the water main had damaged it, after the transfer was made, and the amendment was defeated.

The article, 31, then passed on a voice vote.

Article 32, which proposed to acquire some land near the Barrows Well Field, and near Park Street, passed unanimously with a minimum of discussion.

David Wilberg, the sponsor of the Dog Leash law, rose to move that the town reconsider Article 36. The motion lost by a vote of 199 for, and 234 against.

Articles 37 and 38 were passed over on request of the sponsors. Article 37 proposed that the new West School be named the George J Spanos School. Article 38 was for rezoning the Yentile farm, on Cross and Main Streets. Both chairman Barry of the Finance Committee and Bob Michelson told the Town Meeting that they had had telegrams, that evening, from the sponsor, in New York, requesting it be passed over.

Town Auction

Attorney Roland Wood, representing the Jackson Brothers, moved that Articles 39, 40 and 41 be to instruct the Selectmen to conduct a public sale of the parcels of land in question not later than May 4th.

The original articles had asked that the land, which lies between Parker Street and the Maple Meadow Brook, (at the Wildwood end of Parker Street) be sold to the Jackson Brothers. The Finance Committee had disapproved the original articles, stating that they believed town land should be sold at public auction.

Wood declared that it had been nine years since a public auction of tax title lands had been held, and requested that the voters support his motions.

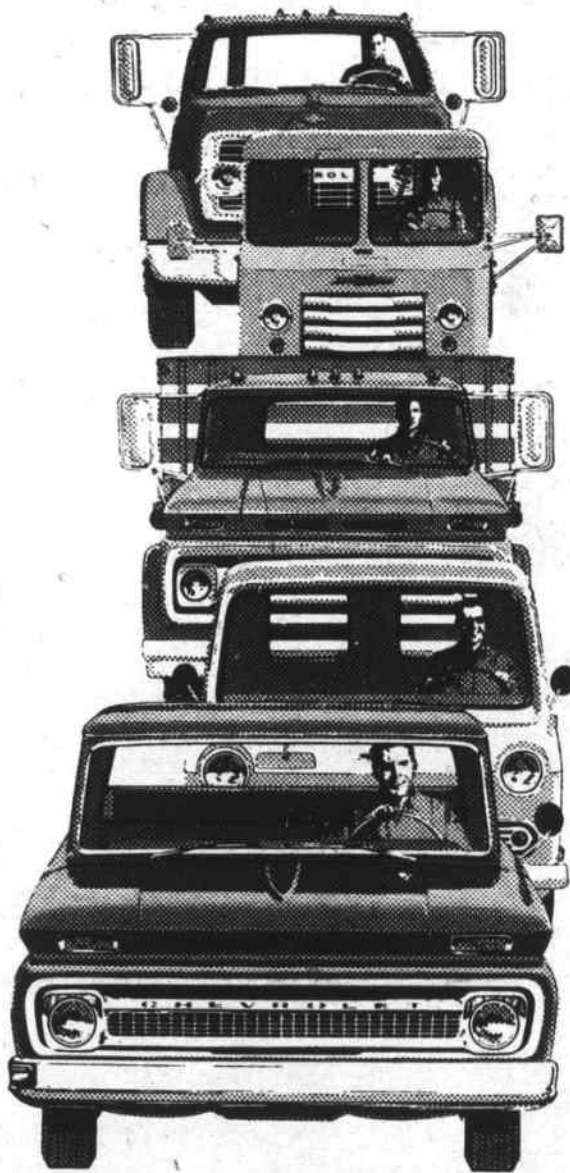
The three articles were carried on a voice vote, and Mr Cutter declared the meeting adjourned at 11:20 pm.

CARD OF THANKS

Thank you very much for your expression of faith in me and a special thanks to those who worked diligently during my campaign.

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James R. Miceli



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Selectmen's Meeting

Lloyd Bender Chairman

Lloyd Bender was elected the Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, at a brief meeting held Mon-

day evening, before the Adjourned Town Meeting reconvened.

The vote on Bender's nomination was 3 to 1, with Selectman

Jim Miceli casting the single opposing vote. Bender abstained. Miceli had first nominate Mr. Black, and then Niles for the position. Both men refused.

Black and Niles then simultaneously nominated Bender. Bender will replace Mrs Wavie Drew as Chairman of the Board.

Mrs Drew announced the appointment of two new members of the Finance Committee, to fill the vacancies caused by the resignations of William Curtin and Fred Arsenault.

Charles F. Mather, 36 Park Street will fill out Curtin's appointment for one year, and Harry T. Stewart, Beech Street, will occupy the position held by Arsenault for a two year term. Finance Committee members are appointed by the Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, the Chairman of the Finance Committee, and the Town Moderator.

The board granted a taxilicense to Cornelius O'Brien and Mr Duggan for the operation of the Errand Boy taxi.

Jurors

Harold McKelvey, 11 Border Ave and Philip J Kearney, Ballardvale Street, were drawn to serve as jurors for the criminal session of the Middlesex Superior Court, in Cambridge, beginning April 20th.

Ipswich River

Selectman Lloyd Bender told the Board that he had learned that the Ipswich River Watershed Bill, in the state legislature, is to be rewritten.

Mrs Drew asked how many articles there would be for the April 4th Special Town Meeting. TM Henneberger told her that so far there were only two articles, pertaining to the stadium, but there was a possibility for one more from a plant considering locating in Wilmington, and he added that he had not yet heard from the Planning Board.

The Selectmen adjourned at 7:45 pm to attend the adjourned Town Meeting in the High School.

Frankline Allen

Promoted by

John Hancock

Miss Frankline Allen, 86 Burlington Avenue, has been promoted to underwriter, in the Group Pension Underwriting Division of the John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company.

A graduate of Wheaton College, Miss Allen is a member of the Board of Trustees of the Wilmington Public Library. She has served in various staff positions in the Group Pension Underwriting operation at John Hancock, and most recently served as an underwriting and contract specialist.

Firemen's

Work Hours

in Other Towns

Firemen in towns and cities near Wilmington are employed at least 48 hours of each week, the Town Crier has learned.

Billerica, Lowell, Andover, Winchester and Woburn have 48 hour weeks.

In Reading and Stoneham the work week is 50.6 hours.

Tewksbury, North Reading, Burlington and Wakefield have 56 hours as the minimum work week.

Another Mystery!

Vandals Again?



Among the owners was James Tweed Jr., a Burlington man who moved to Wilmington and bought the farm when he was married in 1798. Mr. Tweed shortly became an Ensign in the Wilmington Company of Militia, and during the War of 1812 held the rank of Captain, commanding the Wilmington Company.

Nine children were born to the Tweed family, while they lived in Nod Farm. In 1819 they sold the farm and moved to Lunenburg, but some of the children stayed in Wilmington, and there are probably residents of this town today who are descendants of Capt. and Mrs. Tweed.

A later owner, after the Civil War, was Deacon Levi Manning. His title derived from the position he held in the Congregational Church of Wilmington.

The last family to live in the old homestead was named Mercutio. After Mr. Mercutio died a few years ago his widow moved, and sold the house and the remaining 19 acres of the farm, about a year ago, to Monte Green, of Cambridge.

What may possibly have been the oldest house in Wilmington was destroyed by fire Sunday morning.

The Tweed-Manning House on Ballardvale Street was destroyed in a blaze that started about 1:30 am. The Wilmington Fire Department spent four hours at the scene before the fire was declared officially to be out.

The probability is that the fire was set.

Last year, on November 10th., while the Wilmington Fire Department was having its annual banquet a fire was set in back of the house which destroyed a shed, and burned a small part of the building. The fire was put out by Reading and Tewksbury firemen, assisted by Wilmington firemen who had returned from their banquet.

The house possibly dates back to the 1660's. It was known to be in existence by 1700, and was believed to be much older. It was without doubt the oldest house in the northern part of Wilmington.

For several hundred years it was the site of the 'Nod Farm'.



THE PLANNING BOARD, last night, conducted its hearing on the two articles for the April 4th Special Town Meeting, in which the new by-laws for the proposed stadium are to be considered. About 100 interested persons attended.

Standing in front of the audience are Planning Board chairman Austin Rounds and Atty Roland Wood

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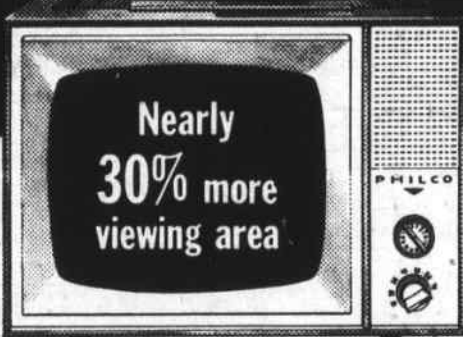
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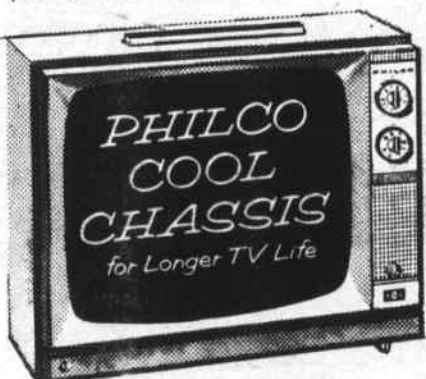
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TOWN MEETING
 (From Front Page)

he said, Wilmington is in the upper segment in that group.

This is not compensation, he said - It is a fringe benefit.

It should be pointed out that both Longevity, and the other increase include step rates, Barry told the meeting. We do not feel that we should ask most employees to accept no raise, and at the same time grant the highest paid employees up to \$1300 more!

Selectmen Niles told the Town Meeting about the new law, in which towns have to negotiate with unions. The law was passed, he said, in February, and Mr. Henneberger, in his negotiations with the town employees, had recognized this.

'The representatives of the Town Employees Association wanted the Longevity, and recommended it. For this reason I am in favor of Longevity.'

George Boylen of the Finance Committee said that he believed it unfair to ask a minority to accept no raise - and urged the voters to keep the present salary schedule. 'Longevity is highly unfair!'

Paul Duggan, in private life an official of the Railroad Firemen's union, and a former member of the Town's Wage Study committee of a couple of years ago told the meeting that the Town Manager and the employees had bargained in good faith and should be supported. 'I don't know of anything more frustrating than to have an agreement revoked by people who did not make it - I think it a little unusual for the Finance Committee to superimpose their judgement over the Town Manager.'

Carlos Gubellini, Finance Committee, told the voters that he too had been on the Wage Study Committee, and that he believed that the 3% 'across the board' increase should be voted.

The Town Accountant's salary was the first to meet the test. An attempt was made to amend it in accordance with the wishes of the Town Manager and Selectmen, but the Finance Committee was sustained by the voters.

Felice Vitale

Felice Vitale, of Woburn Street, who ran for Selectman and received only 89 votes, rose to say that the town should take out a \$10,000 insurance policy for people who might be bitten by dogs.

This was the first of many times that Mr. Vitale spoke, in the meeting. He spoke on nearly every article.

The moderator declared him out of order.

SCHOOL CAFETERIA MENUES
 Week of March 21st

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MONDAY: Hamburger & Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Buttered Peas, Celery Sticks, Bread & Butter, Fruit Jello, Milk

TUESDAY: Juice, Grilled Frankfurter on roll, Buttered Noodles, Green Beans, Applesauce Cake, Milk.

WEDNESDAY: Italian Meat Ball Sandwich on Sub Roll, Potato Chips, Shredded Carrots, Scooter Pie, Milk.

THURSDAY: Juice, Baked Sausage - Applesauce, Parslled Potatoes, Buttered Whole Kernel Corn, Whole Wheat Muffins, Cherry Cobbler, Milk.

FRIDAY: Italian Spaghetti with Meatless Sauce, Green Salad, Peanut Butter Sandwich, Frosted Cake, Milk.

WILDWOOD, GLEN RD, BOUTWELL AND WOBURN ST SCHLS
 MONDAY: Juice, Grilled Frankfurter on Roll, Potato Chips, Buttered Whole Kernel Corn, Ice Cream, Milk

TUESDAY: Hamburger & Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Buttered Peas, Cucumber Sticks, Bread & Butter, Fruit Pudding, Milk.

WEDNESDAY: Italian Spaghetti & Meatballs, Green Salad, Peanut Butter & Marshmallow Sandwich, Apple Crisp, Milk.

THURSDAY: Glazed Ham Sticks with Pineapple, Mashed Potatoes, Buttered Spinach, Bread & Butter, Fruit Cup, Milk.

FRIDAY: Vegetable Soup with Oyster Crackers, Grilled Cheese Sandwich, Cup of Raisins, Scooter Pie, Milk.

Police Salaries

Selectman Bender, when the Police Salary question was on the floor attempted to have the entire group of salaries taken up as one vote. His motion to amend lost.

Bender was seeking to have two more police officers added to the force.

Lynch clears the air

For nearly two hours the debate over salaries had gone on, with the Finance Committee winning at every turn.

Chief of Police Paul Lynch took the floor. The Chief, in past years, has had a history of losing fights on the Town Meeting floor quite often. It seemed that he was going to lose this one too.

'This is Dirty Pool!' 'I have lived in this town for forty years. The question is pure and simple - Are you people going by the people you elected, or by the Finance Committee?'

'Henneberger!' said Lynch. 'I love the guy! He speaks my language!'

'You people elected a Board of Selectmen and you should have the guts to stand up, behind them. Now you people are giving him (Henneberger) his walking ticket! The Town Manager is getting it from you - and from the Finance Committee too! I want none of them!'

Only three of them showed up when it was time to discuss my budget - just sat there - no common decency!'

The Chief moved to amend his salary from \$8,395 to \$9,360, in accordance with the Longevity Plan.

'They were looking for something - they know who their whipping boy is -- The vote you people are giving today is to your Town Manager, and to your Selectmen! Vote this \$9300 and show Dick Henneberger what you think!'

The Town Meeting still did not understand what was going on. They voted down the Chief's motion. Bill Stickney of the Finance Committee stood up.

'I never thought I would hear a top official scream that the town was no good!'

(If Mr. Stickney was referring to the talk by the Chief of Police he was right in using the word 'scream', but the Chief, in his talk, never said that the town was no good - Ed)

Selectman Bender moved to amend the motion so as to allow two more police in the force.

George Boylen, Finance Committee - 'The expenditures of the town for the police are way out of proportion -- the purpose of getting the dogs was to increase the efficiency of the Police Department.'

Perhaps we should get rid of the dogs!'

Herb Colby: I am a new resident of town - but I urge you to vote for two new police officers.

Lynch took the floor again. 'When Gerry Bouchard came to my office one day - he was looking for my scalp - and I knew it --- I did not speak disrespectfully of the Town. I did of the Finance Committee. 'Yes, I'm Irish. I am thick, too. This money Bouchard got had to come from the Selectmen and the Finance Committee.'

I do want to take issue - ask the Chairman of the Finance Committee - why were they having that survey, Mr Bouchard -

His answer was I grew up with you.

The only reason was that he was intent to find out from experts - Bouchard's Hatchet Men! The first man he hired for that survey would not come - he knew me, and he told me!'

'It cost the town \$2500 just to find out that we needed six men. Hell, I'd been saying that for a long time!'

Selectman Miceli rose: 'If every committee in town had the integrity of our Finance Committee I could sleep better nights!'

George Boylen: I was that Chairman of the Finance Committee. There was a lot wrong in that survey, but we did break up the town into precincts, two, three, five police cars - trained men.

The amendment for increasing the number of patrolmen called for an additional \$8500 in the police budget - 10 cents on the tax rate. It won, on a standing vote.

Lt. Imbimbo of the Police Dept. moved to reconsider the salaries of police lieutenants, which had been voted in accordance with the Finance Committee's recommendations.

He lost
 At 3:15 pm Nick DeFelice moved to reconsider the Longevity, on Page 5.

Miceli: This happens to be our tax money.

Niles: I seconded the motion of Mr DeFelice - we should treat all our town employees fairly.

The chair was in doubt on the voice vote. The standing vote was 222 Ayes and 185 Nays.

Charles Malatesta wanted a recount. The moderator told him that there was no such thing, on a standing vote.

Another vote, this time on the salary of the Town Accountant. Again there was a standing vote, and the Moderator refused to have a recount.

Larry Doucette went up to the platform, in answer to a challenge from Cutter. For the next fifteen minutes he sat beside the Moderator, watching the votes being counted.

Vitale had been speaking, off and on, not contributing much. He was seated by the moderator, because he had no motion, while he was trying to talk.

Peter Enos: I think more men like Vitale should be here - he speaks his mind.

Cutter: I can't help it if he does not have a motion to talk on.

The fight on Longevity versus a 3% raise continued. The Town Meeting still had not understood the score.

Bob Peters stood up to talk. He spoke on the policy procedure established by the former Town Manager, and how the town employees had voted 92 to 37 in favor of Longevity, with four not voting.

'This is the consensus of the majority - Longevity instead of Step Increases'.

PAGE TWELVE

RESEARCH PAYS

At one time or another, each of us uses the products of pharmaceutical research to maintain or restore physical or mental health.

Yet the average person is frequently unaware of the investment, in terms of money and scientific talent, that the American pharmaceutical industry makes in research and the resulting benefits to his health.

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Official Ground Breaking Ceremonies will be held Saturday, at 10 am on Concord Street, at the Wilmington/North Reading line as the Gas Blue Flame of the Lowell Gas Company prepares for its arrival in North Reading.

Harry J. Patterson, President of the Lowell Gas Company will be on hand along with several leading dignitaries and other company officials as the Blue Gas Flame goes into the ground with the first shovel of dirt being turned over.

In a statement to the Town Crier, Mr. Patterson said this week that installation plans will be going into immediate effect next week, with the entire project taking several months for completion.

The future of Gas, and the Gas industry appears to be unlimited he said. The flexibility, controllability and dependability of Gas

are features that have enabled it to keep pace with progress and to advance with new developments.

Lowell Gas Company presently serves over 35,000 customers in the Greater Lowell area. With the installation in North Reading, the Gas Blue Flame will be bringing to that community its entire service facilities, and modern engineering knowhow, combined with its space-age fundamental concepts for residential, industrial and commercial uses in cooking, heating, air-conditioning, total energy, water heating, clothes drying and incineration.

The Lowell Gas Company has the lowest per unit rates of any Gas company in all New England, North Reading, in addition to enjoying the comfort and convenience of Gas Blue Flame, will benefit greatly in the economy offered with Gas.

**JAMES EMERY CHAIRMAN OF
NORTHEAST ODAS PROGRAM**

James Emery, 10 Carson Ave. has become the chairman of the newly organized Northeast Oral Deaf Adults Conference. The new organization is to meet in Boston University Saturday.

Emery, as Northeast organizer is bringing to New England an association which has been working for deaf people in other parts of the United States. Called ODAS (Oral Deaf Adults Section), it is sponsored by the Alexander Graham Bell Association for the Deaf, Inc. of Washington D.C.

Emery expects that about 150 deaf people will attend the Saturday conference, which is to be devoted to the problems of the deaf. Part of the schedule is to be in pantomime.

Professional people and Doctors and others who have an interest in the problems of the deaf will be among the participants.

**Medicare
Applications
at Post Office**

Postmaster Henry J. Porter has announced that application blanks for supplemental Medicare benefits are available at the Post Office window, at Wilmington Post Office.

The application blanks are being made available as the Social Security Administration seeks to contact 3.1 million senior citizens before March 31, the deadline imposed by the Medicare law.

President Johnson proclaimed the month of March as the National Medicare Enrollment Month. He has urged all federal agencies and all citizens to cooperate in enrolling senior citizens in the program. Through direct mailings and other means, the Social Security Administration has had contact with 16 of the 19.1 million citizens who will be 65 or over on July 1. Of the 16 million who replied, less than one million said they did not want to sign up for the supplemental program.

The supplemental program costs \$3 a month and provides for Doctor bills and other benefits. Everyone 65 and over is eligible for the basic hospital benefits under Medicare. Citizens who reached 65 before 1966 face a two year delay if they do not sign up by March 31. The application forms are pre-addressed to the Social Security Administration, Baltimore, Md.

A copy of the application blank is on display on the lobby bulletin board in the postoffice.

**PAT RING ON WAKEFIELD'S
HOUSING AUTHORITY**

Andrew 'Pat' Ring, a native of Wilmington, and son of Mr and Mrs Joseph P. Ring of Middlesex Avenue was elected a member of the Wakefield Housing Authority, in the annual Town Meeting of that town on March 7th.

Mr. Ring was Welfare Agent in Wilmington until a few years ago when he moved to Wakefield to accept a better paying job as Welfare Agent in that town.

He received 2183 votes, while his unsuccessful opponent had a total of 1866. The Wakefield Daily Item said that Ring waged a vigorous campaign, knocking on doors and handing out literature, and meeting people in the business district. Ring moved to Wakefield in October 1960.

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**RICHARD GALLAGHER
IN MEDITERRANEAN**

Richard J. Gallagher, Fire Control Technician, USN, son of Mr and Mrs Joseph R. Gallagher of 34 Main Street has been deployed to the Mediterranean Sea, aboard the USS Saratoga, attack aircraft carrier, which will operate with the sixth fleet.

The Saratoga is scheduled to participate in several training exercises with both the Sixth Fleet and NATO units. Between operations at sea the carrier will make goodwill visits to several countries bordering the Mediterranean.

Engagement Announced

Mr and Mrs Kenneth Kadish of Alpena, Michigan, have announced the engagement and coming marriage of their daughter, Miss Patricia Kadish, to Airman 3/C Edward G. Johanan, son of Mr and Mrs Edward S. Johanan of Burlington Avenue, Wilmington.

Miss Kadish is a graduate of Catholic Central High School in

Alpena, and is employed by the Morris Auto Supply company of that city.

Mr Johanan was educated in the Wilmington Schools, and is presently stationed at Wurtsmith Air Force Base in Michigan.

The wedding will take place on June 11th at St. Bernard's Roman Catholic Church, in Alpena, Mich.

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Births

WOODS, Jane Margaret, first child, to Mr and Mrs Edward J. Woods, 22 Cottage Street, born Feb. 26th in the Winchester Hospital.

Grandparents are Mr and Mrs John Imbimbo of Cottage Street and Mr and Mrs Joseph H. Woods, 23 Beacon Street.

Language & Language Teaching

Trends at WHS

Our tremendously increased enrollment in Foreign Languages, at Wilmington High School, as is evidenced by the accompanying chart, has been made possible by more stimulating teaching methods and by more public interest in foreign travel and culture.

We now have a solid five year program in French beginning in the eighth grade and continuing into the twelfth. With this program, we can achieve a good level of mastery on the part of the students. By the twelfth grade they should, in most cases, be able to speak and understand everyday normal French conversation, to have a knowledge of the culture of the country, including some of its art and music, to read for true comprehension without translation and to understand the development of the literature of the country.

We have not neglected our Spanish or German programs, however. The student is offered either in the Freshman or Sophomore years, the opportunity for a solid Spanish or German course. Many good language students take two or even three languages during their High School years.

Latin should not be neglected in the program of any good student. It provides a tremendous cultural tool, and, even more important, a marvelous mental discipline.

Unfortunately, the modern trend, due to many derogatory articles on Latin and the fact that many excellent universities such as Tufts, have dropped it from their curriculum, has been away from it. However, our Language department feels strongly in favor of maintaining and encouraging our existing program. It should be provided for the interested student.

We do not have a true Advanced Grade Placement program in Language at Wilmington since preparation for this program would have to begin in the third grade. In the words of Dr. James B. Conant, 'only if a community has the funds, public opinion so desires, and really qualified teachers can be obtained, should instruction be started in Grade 3.' We cannot find enough qualified elementary teachers to do a truly good job with this program. We also feel that the student's time could be used more profitably in developing basic skills in reading or math.

Without having a true AGP program here, we have had students accepted in advanced language courses at Boston University, Merrimack, Regis, Emmanuel, Northeastern, University of Massachusetts, Boston College, Lowell and Salem State colleges.

We currently have two language teachers on our own staff, graduates of WHS, one teaching French and the other Spanish. We have also had one student accepted at the Army Language School in Monterey, California and another as a qualified linguist by the Army.

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Language Growth Rate Chart

	1960 Enrollment	1965-66 Enrollment
French I	43	189
French II	29	135
French III	10	77
French IV	0	27
Spanish I	25	80
Spanish II	18	50
Spanish III (tutorial)	2	8
German I	7	27
German II	0	14
German III	0	9
Latin I	43	40
Latin II	13	22
Latin III (tutorial)	1	9

National Average Increase in the same five year period 300%
Wilmington High School Average Increase 600%

Elizabeth W. Baran
Department Head
Language Dept.

Jerry Rooney

Town Crier Foreign Correspondent

From Corinth I crossed the Straits of Corinth over the man-made channel which permits ships to go directly from Patras to Athens.

Once in the capital I found it to be smaller and not as busy as most European capitals. This seemed to result in a slower pace of life and a more friendly relationship between foreigners and the local people.

As most people know, the Acropolis dominates the skyline of Athens at night. The ideal location from which to view the sunset is Lizabetto Hill. A temple often overlooked by visitors is that of Hefalsto, one of the most well preserved in Greece. However its size and proximity to the Acropolis detract from its notoriety.

I went on, to the old city of Delphi where almost all types of ruins may be seen, due to the extent of the discoveries there. I roamed over this site, with its ideal location on a mountainside, overlooking a bay from the Straits of Corinth, and I could imagine life as it had been here, from day to day when this was one of the larger cities of Greece.

I kept on going, winding my way through the mountains and valleys of Mt. Lamias and Mt. Olympus, where I spent a night at the base of the 9000 foot 'Home of the Gods'.

I went through Thessalonika, and headed for Alexandroupolis to take my leave of this former center of culture. I find it ironic that many countries which were once rulers of the then-known world are now

poverty stricken and far behind others, in regard to progress and standard of living.

Turkey provided my introduction to the Near East. In six days stay in Istanbul, I noticed the differences in this city, such as the presence of some 500 mosques, including the beautiful Blue Mosque, the only one in the world with six minarets.

It is quite interesting to observe the individual rites of the faithful coming to pray amidst the chanting of the Koran.

The huge covered bazaar is the Turkish answer to our shopping centers, and everything from fruit to furniture may be bought here, where bargaining is an understood part of each sale.

Istanbul is located on two continents and in crossing the Straits of Bosphorus, I left Europe and set foot in Asia for the first time.

After staying in the capital, Ankara, I started to climb once again into the mountains, to cross the high plateau heading for the southern coast. It was extremely cold and I drove for two days in a dense fog. The route had very little traffic and was quite remote. I would stop at gasoline stations where I was always invited to warm myself by the ever-present wood fire, and to drink some tea, which is very good, and always popular.

I finally reached the southern coast and milder weather. The citrus harvest was in progress and the heat of the warm sun once again made driving a scooter a pleasure rather than a task.

(TO BE CONTINUED)



ANTHONY FANTASIA
TO BE BASED IN FLORIDA

A3/c Anthony J Fantasia, son of Mrs Lucille A Fantasia, 8 Catherine Avenue, is to be assigned to the Homestead, Florida Air Force Base, for duty with the Strategic Air Command.

He recently graduated from the Amarillo (Texas) Air Force Base training course for US Air Force supply inventory specialists.

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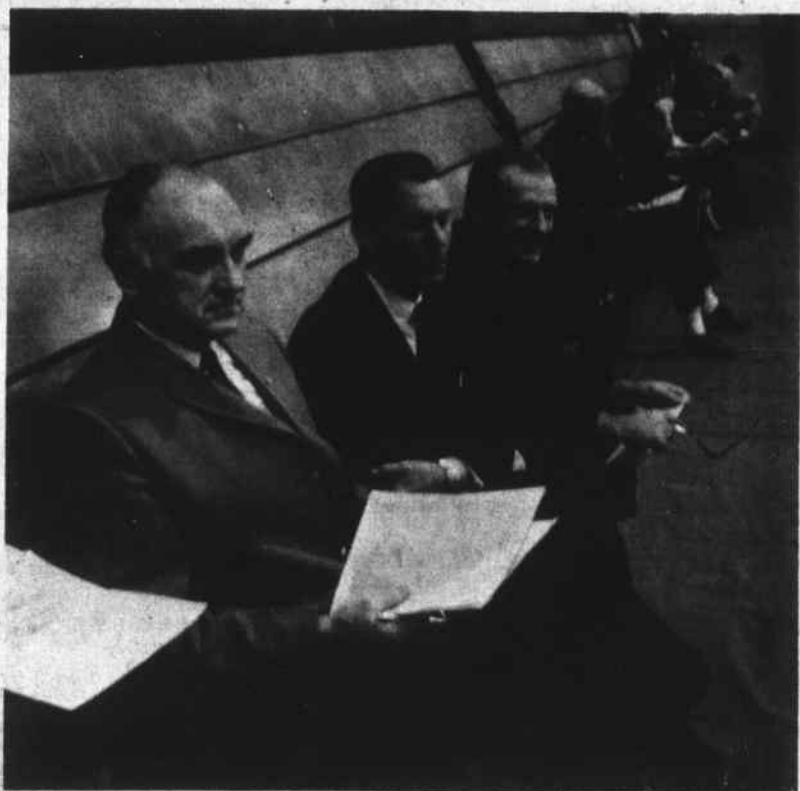
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Town Meeting Pictures



A FRIEND IN THE FINANCE COMMITTEE: Chief of Police Paul Lynch, with ex-Finance Committeeman Fred Arsenault. (The Town Crier was in error, last week, when it reported that Arsenault had resigned the Wednesday previously. His resignation had been in effect for several weeks).



MICELI AND THE FINANCE COMMITTEE: Selectman James Miceli, voting with the Finance Committee, while other selectmen sit, in the vote against the reconsideration of Page 5, of the budget. This was in the long fight over Longevity versus a three percent across the board increase for town employees



JUNIOR SELECTMEN: High School students who were elected Selectmen, in the high school, observe the meeting.



PRAYERS ARE OFFERED: By the Rev. H. Allen Tadgell, of the Congregational Church.



PLEASANT DREAMS! Peter Schwind caught the proponents of the 42 hour week for Firemen by surprise, half an hour after they had lost some of their votes.



JUST PLAIN ANGRY: Chief of Police Paul J. Lynch, tells the Town Meeting that 'I love that guy!'



JIM RAFFI, of the Chamber of Commerce, sat and waited nearly 12 hours, to speak on the Redevelopment Article
To the right are members of the board of Selectmen and the Planning Board.



ASSISTANT MODERATOR: Larry Doucette, of Oakdale Road, watched the tally of the counts by the clerks, for fifteen minutes. He is seated between Si Cutter and Mrs Russell.



DAVID WIBERG: who fought for the Dog Leash law, appeared to the Town Meeting as though he were perhaps General John B Hood, of the Confederate Army



A VOTE OF CONFIDENCE: Was what the Moderator declared TM Henneberger had received, when the town finally understood the issue between himself and the Finance Committee.

Legionaires Will Attend Legion College

Commander Angus MacFeeley, and Comrades Frank Tebeau, Carl Dreger and Eugene Sullivan of Wilmington Post 136, American Legion, will be among those present Saturday, at the Tenth Anniversary Session of the Massachusetts American Legion College, in Burlington, Saturday.

The College is a seminar for the leaders of the American Legion, Post, District and potential officers and members who are recognized as leaders in their Posts and communities. The theme of the session is 'The American Legion Services America'.

The seminar will be held at the Northeastern University Suburban Campus, and will be under the chairmanship of Dr Harvey Berger

GIRL SCOUTS WILL OBSERVE NATIONAL WILDLIFE WEEK

Girl Scouts of Wilmington and Tewksbury, next week, will be observing National Wildlife Week.

The troops will have projects related to the protection of the natural beauty of the countryside.

Girls of Troop 361 have as their project the planting of trees in the Memorial Park weather permitting.

Girls from other troops, during the Easter Week Vacation from school, will have projects of cleaning up roadsides.

EASTERN MIDDLESEX REALTORS MEET MARCH 28

'Getting to Know You' is the theme of the March 28th meeting of the Eastern Middlesex Board of Realtors, Inc., according to local Board Member Bob Clark, Realtor.

The Colonial Restaurant on Rte 128 will be the site of the meeting, and Editors and Advertising Managers of the newspapers used by the Board Members will be the principle guests of the Board.

Brad Hutchinson, Chairman of the program committee of Eastern Middlesex Board of Realtors, Inc., says that of all local businessmen, Realtors spend the largest percentage of income on advertising. Every day of the year new people are coming in on the market for a home - and all progressive Realtors must advertise frequently, and be able to write appealing and effective advertising to attract these people to their communities.

At the meeting Mr Hutchinson will give a history of the growth and future of Real Estate in the area. Capt. Neilson of the Wilmington Town Crier will be participating in a panel to suggest ways in which members of the Eastern Middlesex Board of Realtors can promote their programs more effectively.

A record attendance is expected at the meeting.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (United Church of Christ)

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Sunday March 20, 11 am Sunday Morning Worship. 9:30 am Church School, Gr. 4,5,6,7,8,9,10. 11 am Nursery, Pre-Kindergarten, Kindergarten, Grades 1,2,3. Kindergarten in the Parsonage. 5 pm Junior Pilgrim Fellowship, 7 pm Senior Pilgrim Fellowship.

Thursday March 17, Choir Rehearsal, Jr 6:15; Senior 7. 8 pm Postponed Stewardship Committee Meeting.

Friday, Mar 18, 7 pm Boy Scouts
Saturday March 19, 7 pm Couples Club will serve a Covered Dish Supper followed by Professor Burt of Lowell Technical Institute who will give an illustrated lecture on 'Indian Lore in Merrimack Valley' with artifacts from surrounding territory. Everyone is invited.

Monday March 21. 3:30 pm Girl Scouts.

Tuesday March 22, 8 pm Diaconate.

Wednesday March 23, 12 noon. South Branch, West Branch. 3:30 pm Girl Scouts.

Sunday March 27 at 5 pm The Christian Education Committee will present a Vesper Service with music by the Junior and Senior Choirs, and a film, 'The Dawn of Victory'.

RAYMOND BEATTY TO BE NORTH READING AGENT FOR LOWELL GAS

The Lowell Gas Company has announced that Raymond H Beatty will manage their new agency in North Reading.

Well known in the Gas Industry, Mr Beatty operated his own bottle Gas Company in Concord for nearly fourteen years, and presently serves as Sales Manager for the County Gas Service of Danvers. Mr Beatty is to conduct all the residential, industrial and commercial business for the Lowell Gas Company in North Reading.

A native of Indiana, and a Veteran of World War II, having served as an Engineer in the Maritime Service, Mr Beatty is a 'long-time' resident of Massachusetts. He lives at present at 442 East Main Street in West Concord, with his wife Emma and their two daughters Sandra, 20, and Susan, 17. In addition to maintaining a very active business schedule Mr Beatty devotes a considerable time to civic and fraternal affairs.

ROBERT F HASTINGS IS JOHN HANCOCK SUPERVISOR

Robert F Hastings of 24 King Street has been promoted to supervisor in the Group Dividend Division of the John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company, in Boston. Hastings joined Hancock in 1963 and has served as an assistant supervisor, prior to his promotion. He attended Union College, in Kentucky.

ALLGROVE AND KARTUZ ARE EXHIBITORS AT SPRING FLOWER SHOW

Arthur E Allgrove of North Wilmington and Micael J Kartuz of Chestnut Street are among the exhibitors at the 95th New England Spring Flower Show, being held at Wonderland Park in Revere, and sponsored by the Massachusetts Horticultural Society.

Kartuz is exhibiting flowering plants of many kinds, in a special summer lath house, and Allgrove is presenting an educational exhibit featuring terrariums, miniature indoor gardens in covered glass containers.

MASTER OF SCIENCE DEGREE FOR DING CHUNG WU

Ding Chung Wu, 12 Marcia Road, received a Master of Science degree from the University of New Hampshire last week.

Mr. Wu was one of 226 students who received degrees by participating in the 1965 Summer Session of the University.

No commencement ceremonies were held, but each of the graduates are eligible to return to the campus in June to participate in the traditional commencement ceremonies.

TROOP 56 PAPER DRIVE

Boy Scouts of Troop 56, Wilmington will conduct a paper drive in Wilmington Saturday.

NOTICE

Dr. Felipe Nova and Dr. Phillip McLaughlin are now associated with Dr. Robert F. Mobbs, 281 Main Street, Wilmington, and will see patients in the evenings, from 7 to 9 o'clock.

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TOWN MEETING (From Page Six)

Henneberger: I spoke on this earlier.

Mr Cutter, referring to the budget columns, from which the figures were being taken: You mean we should be voting on the Town Manager's recommendations instead? (of the Finance Committee recommendations - ed)

Paul Duggan spoke again - the Town Manager had made his recommendations - a collective bargaining agreement was now a point of law - what was the opinion of the Town Counsel?

Cutter: Don't need any - the Town Meeting is supreme.

Peters moved to have the voting on the left hand figures (the Town Manager's recommendations)

Boylan: Again, there will be inequities.

Henneberger: In the months that I spent preparing that budget I had only four hours with the Finance Committee.

Peter Enos rose to say that the moderator was insulting Vitale because the Moderator would not let him take the floor.

Cutter: Mr Vitale and I are good friends - isn't that so?

Vitale agreed.

Paul Lynch again took the microphone: 'I'll accept the plan of the Town Manager, even if it means a cut in my pay!'

Bob Michelson tried to have the salary of the Policewomen raised to \$100 a month. He lost.

There was a discussion of the Town Manager's salary. Miceli told of a memorandum the Town Manager had written, saying in effect that he might not stay.

Finally, somehow, the town realized that they had been voting all along, for Finance Committee recommendations which were not the recommendations of the Town Manager and the Selectmen. There was a vote, and it was in favor of the town manager's plan. It was by voice, followed by some cheers, and it was overwhelming.

Cutter: I'd call that a vote of confidence.

The Town meeting went back and considered the entire budget again, every instance in which there was a question of Longevity instead of Step Increase.

Two hours had been wasted. But the Town Manager had finally won.

Meeting proceeds

The meeting continued, after the first part of the budget had been re-voted. When it got to the point of the Dog officer's salary Vitale stood up to propose that the town take out a \$10,000 insurance policy in case people get bitten by dogs. The moderator told him to sit down.

Leash Law

About 4:30 pm there was a motion to take up Article 36 - the proposed Dog Leash Law.

There was a standing vote, and for the first time in the meeting the Finance Committee and the Selectmen voted the same way - No.

The motion carried. David Wiberg moved the Dog Leash law, but changed the proposed fine from \$20 to \$10.

He mentioned the exchange of letters he had had with the Town Manager, in the Town Crier.

He cited statistics of dog bites, and other items from the records of dogs, including the report of a horse being killed, on Shawheen Avenue, because it had been bitten by a dog.

'I don't want dogs killed - I just want them restrained'

Biggar, of the Finance Committee - Police say it will cost \$30 to \$50 to enforce the law.

Rene LaRivee - 'Until such time as we can educate the owners of the dogs -

Rev. Terry Clay Thomason, of the Methodist church spoke in favor.

Mrs Tutela wanted to know how the Finance Committee got some of its statistics - 'Did they speak or did they bark?'

Vitale: I just hate dirty dogs. We should have a \$10,000 insurance policy - it should be considered' - but he made no motion John Virtus: My kids brought home five notices from school - two weeks ago my ten year old was bitten on the neck.

Selectman Bender: I feel very sympathetic - but there is a law on the books. He read the law

where dogs may be killed after the Selectmen give 24 hours notice to have all dogs restrained 'The dogs can't read that law. It's the owner of the dogs.'

The argument continued, with Emery Jensen suggesting that the town appropriate \$10,000 and hire a full time Dog Officer.

The vote was at 5:08 pm, The Ayes had 200 votes, and the Nays 258 - the motion was lost.

Vitale stood up again to talk about his idea of a \$10,000 insurance policy.

Cutter shouted, nearly, NO!

Snow Fighter

Town Manager Henneberger told the meeting of the need of the town for a Walters' Snow Fighter. He could get one for \$12,000, second hand, but reconditioned, and guaranteed for a year.

Not being a voter he could not make a motion. Herb Colby made it for him.

Barry of the Finance Committee objected. This, he said, is a very special piece of equipment that is only on the road for about three months of the year - it has no front blade - strictly a scraper. \$12 thousand for a piece of equipment that is on the road for only 10 days a year is not a good investment. Bill Crane Jr., making his first appearance in the Town Meeting, spoke for the plow.

Jimmy White, Road Superintendent, took the microphone.

He was asked what he would do 'if he had his druthers' - the Walters Snow Fighter or a truck with a blade?

Give me the Snow Fighter. The town voted for a Snow Fighter, for the Town Manager.

It was 5:30 pm. The meeting adjourned to 7 pm.

Second Session

The Town Meeting resumed at 7:25 pm. Bill Stickney quoted a Town Crier editorial on Chapter 90 money. The TM told him that no money was lost.

The meeting proceeded. Glen Connolly of the School Committee moved to reduce the School Budget by the Federal Funds received under Public Law 78, and he was thanked by the Finance Committee.

The Conservation committee got a word of praise too - doing a fine job, chairman Barry of the Finance Committee said.

DAV loses

The town had arrived at the point where it votes money for the Veterans organizations.

Vitale got up and spoke against the veterans - This \$750 - the war was over 20 years ago! Selling liquor just to make a buck.

Mrs Drew: The boys have now gone to war again - this is no time to take money away from the Veterans organizations

Julius Gordon: When I came back from the war I received good advice from a veteran's organization. I am glad I listened. The organizations do go - provide scholarships. I am proud to be able to say I am a veteran from Wilmington.

A Grove Avenue resident, who lives across from the DAV hall spoke against the veterans. He soon made an apology though - to the Veterans of Foreign Wars and to the American Legion, but not to the DAV. - A barroom - open on Sunday. I will support the American Legion, and the Veterans of Foreign Wars, but not that organization that doesn't even have a flagpole!

Paul Farrell (VFW) With all due respect to the Finance Committee, the \$39000 has been since 1944. The VFW established itself on Main Street, and it took until June of 1961 before we were able to finally get our hands on the deed to our property. For 14 or 15 years the town received taxes on our property.

The members of our organization put their best foot forward. We specialize in Americanism!

Someone got up and charged that the Veterans of Foreign Wars was 'just an eyesore'!

The town voted, Aye 246, and Nay 170 for \$750 for the VFW.

They voted the same money for the American Legion, and then refused to vote it for the DAV.

Town Beach

It was 9:15 when the town got to Article 12 - to take by eminent domain land on the west side of the

Town Beach, at Silver Lake.

Selectman Bender described the land.

Carlos Gubellini of the Finance Committee told the Town Meeting it was a question of Now - or Later Bender: Not a simple solution. There is the home of a couple of people who are sitting here.

Joseph McCabe, the owner of the house, spoke. - I bought this home three years ago for \$10,500. Today the town wants to give me \$10,000 The beach extension is not necessary, but taking my home from me is a hardship I cannot bear. I ask you to give me every consideration

Henneberger: Last year you voted to build a new bathhouse. It is towards the Tewksbury line - the expansion points in that direction. If you expand the other way the direction points towards four homes and the Mildred Rogers school. A beach expansion is desirable.

Bob Michelson spoke on how the MDC never takes a home that is occupied.

Fred Arsenault: I cannot conceive of a board or committee removing a man from his home merely to provide swimming for the rest of us.

He spoke of the Sunday crowds of cars - If I was a resident of that area I would be pounding the Town Hall door every day of the week.

George Boylen: Something has to be done about swimming facilities

There was an amendment to improve the Town Beach with the \$12,095.

Henneberger: With the removal of the old bath house we now have additional parking for 97 spaces.

Harold Melzar: Since a former Town Manager lowered the water level at least a foot and a half - a horrible condition - trash and rodents - people from Tewksbury control what you have now!

Larry Cushing: Sounds like a circus. Mr Melzar has been going away each summer for 75 years. No trouble at Silver Lake Beach - go to the right of the beach - fill in the hole.

The amendment, to improve the beach, carried.

Tennis Courts

An appropriation, seeking to construct four tennis courts at the North School, was defeated, under Article 13.

Bob Michelson of the Permanent Building Committee reported that the school does not qualify now for state funds for tennis courts.

Fred Jaeschke of the Maintenance Department said that the town could build the courts for \$12,000 instead of the \$25,000 asked.

But the town wouldn't buy it.

Good Night!

Article 21 was advanced, on vote after a move by the Fire Department.

Spokesman for the motion, which was for a 42 hour week for the Fire Department was William F. Agreeable Smith

He told the town that the time that the Fire Department was active was the time that there was trouble.

The Finance Committee scored the proposal, saying that it would cost the town a lot of money to add the six men necessary.

Vitale spoke for the article, as did Selectman Miceli. Bender said he was partial to it, but that this was not the time. He suggested that it be tabled until a survey could be made.

Chief Boudreau: In regard to surveys - 11 years ago the then Town Manager called in an underwriter. I was willing to have a survey of the Fire Department. How long are we going to have to wait for the money to be appropriated. This is the push-off.

Rene LaRivee: Not so the firemen can come in on a Monday morning, and then leave on Wednesday morning.

The arguments continued. Stickney observed that he had not heard the Chief say anything in favor of a 42 hour week.

The Chief spoke up to say that there were a number of nearby towns that had a 44 hour week.

The motion carried, on a standing vote, 199 to 181.

A number of voters got up immediately, and started to leave the hall.

TOWN MEETING
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There were cat calls from those who remained.

Good Night! Pleasant Dreams! Half an hour later Peter Schwind of Hathaway Road moved for reconsideration. The move carried, Yes 170, No 157.

There was talk by Smith, and by Dr Richter, and Roland Wood called for the question.

The 42 hour week was defeated! The vote was Yes 157, and No 184

The adjourned Town Meeting, Monday night, accepted the three urban renewal articles, with restrictions limiting them to the one project on Eames Street. Rejected by the 436 voters present were the new library proposal, and a motion to reconsider the 'Dog Leash' law.

The article establishing a Redevelopment Authority limited it to a project of about 40 acres, south of Eames street and adjacent to the Woburn branch of the B&MRR. The Finance Committee, through its chairman, attempted to impose further restrictions. The Finance Committee wanted only a Land Assembly program, and the chairman further noted that the editor of the Town Crier should make an explanation of how this would build a half million dollar sewer to Wilmington Square.

Stanley Webber of the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce introduced Article 33 and told the Town Meeting that the Chamber of Commerce was interested only in this one project, and did not want the Redevelopment Authority to have powers over any other place. Under the laws for which the project was sponsored, the land must qualify as a decadent or blighted open area in a predominately industrial area, he said, and there was no other area in Wilmington of which he knew that could qualify under this law.

Webber, with the permission of the Moderator, introduced James Raffi (a Winchester resident) of the Chamber of Commerce. Raffi spent about five minutes telling the Town Meeting of the details of the project.

Robert Michelson, assisted by Fred Arsenault, and got the microphone. Michelson began asking questions - sharpshooting at the proposal. His questions were answered, one after another, by Mr Raffi or Webber. From time to time Michelson went to the Finance Committee table for a conference, and then returned to the microphone.

Finally the voters got tired and there was a slight booing. Michelson sat down.

Capt. Neilson of the Town Crier tried to get the microphone after Michelson sat down. The moderator seemingly ignored him.

Neilson insisted, saying that the Chairman of the Finance Committee had asked a question of him as Editor of the Town Crier.

Grudgingly the moderator gave him the floor.

Exhibiting a chart of the area Neilson told the Town Meeting that the question was misleading, and was not as he had written in the Town Crier.

Neilson emphasized that this was an opportunity for the Redevelopment Authority to lay a sewer in the first part of the projected distance to Wilmington Square, from the Woburn line.

The sewer would have to go to, and into, the project, he said. Plans for this had already been made, from the Housing and Home Finance Agency of the US Government, some dozen years ago. The plans cost \$20,000, and had been used when the sewer main was laid up Woburn Street, to Uncle Avco, who paid 19.3% of the town's taxes.

There was no guarantee, Neilson said, that the Redevelopment Authority could do anything for a sewer, or that it would do anything.

Nor was there a guarantee that the Authority would not.

The point, he said, was that the Redevelopment Authority should not have one hand tied behind its back, even before it started.

Rene LaRivee got the microphone. Mr. LaRivee was very happy that the Chamber of Commerce had seen fit to go out and sponsor this kind of work. 'You can do the same thing as you did to the Conservation Committee', he said - 'Give them a vote of confidence'.

The Moderator then recognized Felice Vitale, who had come into the meeting just a few minutes previously.

Vitale shouted into the microphone, first apologizing for coming late, and then telling the Town Meeting to vote against the motion because it was going to cost the town money.

'Very few answers - your going to get stuck - vote against it!'

Joe Courtney, former Town Manager of Wilmington, now a Professor of Government, was walking up the side aisle. He had a law book under his arm.

Professor Courtney never got to the microphone. Before he did the chairman of the Finance Committee stood up and said that the Finance Committee approved the article.

The audience cheered. The vote was almost unanimous. Vitale, Michelson, and one or two more voted against the Urban Redevelopment article.. It was 10:55 pm.

The two other urban renewal articles carried easily on voice votes following the passage of Article 33.

Article 34 was limited to the scope of Article 33, and was a vote establishing a need for the redevelopment. Article 35 appropriated \$2,000 for the authority.

Library

Ralph Kelmon, Chairman of the Board of Library Trustees, moved the article calling for the construction of a new library.

The \$450,000 figure, he said, was approximately half that for the article of a year

article of the year past, and represented much work on the part of the Library Trustees and the Permanent Building Committee.

The cost, Kelmon said, had been reduced to a figure acceptable to all boards involved.

The Finance Committee recommended disapproval of the article because no federal or state aid had been applied for by the Board of Library Trustees. The Selectmen recommended deferring the article until a special town meeting.

Kelmon told the Town Meeting that the Library Trustees had applied for federal aid for last year's \$880,000 library, but the article had been defeated and the request had to be withdrawn. By the time that the plans had been completed for the currently proposed library all federal assistance funds for Massachusetts communities had been allocated. The question, Kelmon said, was whether the town wanted a library now, paid for out of its own funds, or whether the town would choose to wait upon the possibility of federal assistance at a future date.

Selectman Niles asked if the present plan would meet the criteria for federal funds. Kelmon answered that there was no criteria for federal funds, because no funds had been appropriated, but he assumed that the plans would meet such criteria as would be established.

Selectman Miceli then asked if the town were to proceed with the construction of the library, would it forfeit ever recovering any federal funds.

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Top Hats	95	105
Silver Lake Rex	92	108
Underdogs	92	108
Pace Setters	90	110
Sweater Girls	48	152

Top Ten

Carole Cote 97.67, Edith Trail 96.53, Gert Gordon 96.26, Rita Ingalls 95.34, Helen Witham 95.28, Mary Paulsen 94.42, Sis Merrill 94.40, Mary McHatton 94.19, Margaret Imbimbo 94.18, Marie Butler 94.01.

320 was the Magic Number for Carole Cote and Sis Merrill on a three string total. Also rolling in the 300's were Dotty Ingalls 310, Janice Robbins 309, Mary McHatton 308, Gert Gordon 303, and Norma Hembree 302.

Singles of 126 by Norma Hembree, 121 by Carole Cote, 116 Margaret Imbimbo and 113 was lucky for Dotty Ingalls, Edith Trail, Sis Merrill and Carole Cote

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Dear Larz:

Shades of the years past! I've just finished reading the 'Report and Recommendations of the Finance Committee to the Annual Town Meeting!'

Not since the Finance Committee was chaired by Mr. Barrows has there been, in my opinion, a finance committee report as thorough, and strongly worded as this one. I think that for the past few years the 'FinCom' has been more of a 'rubber stamp' that the Conscience of the Town, and the Custodian of its Pocket Book.

One doesn't have to agree with all of their recommendations to appreciate the fact that the committee has put a lot of thought into presenting to the voters of the town the facts as they see them.

I would like to thank our Finance Committee for an excellent report and thank them for the courage to stand up and say what most of us would like to say, but only think.

Frank D Curley
38 Hanover Street

Dear Larz:

I am in the Army, stationed in Baumholder, Germany. I have been over here for over a year, and have a year and a few months yet to go.

I would like to tell you how much the Town Crier means to me over here. The only contact I have with Wilmington are the letters I receive from my family, but the letters cover only a small area.

The Town Crier really brings home over here, and I really look forward to getting it, each week. Although I receive the paper three weeks late, no words can describe the pleasure I receive in reading your paper.

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Sincerely yours

George B. Shaw, RA 11446562
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Thursday 3 pm Confirmation Class. 6:30 pm Men and Boys Choir Rehearsal.

Friday 7 pm Women and Girls Choir Rehearsal.

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Thursday Mar 17. 7:30 pm Webelos, Chancel Choir Rehearsal. 8 pm Women's Club Evening Program. Saturday Mar 19. 10 am Angelus Choir Rehearsal. Confirmation Class.

Sunday March 20. 3 pm Adult Instruction Class. 5:30 pm Wesley Choir Rehearsal. 6:30 pm Jr MYF, Sr. MYF. 8 pm Lenten Study.

Monday March 21. 3 pm Jr Girl Scout Troop 487. 7:30 pm Cadet Girl Scout Troop 215. 8 pm Official Board.

Tuesday March 22 8:30 pm Alcoholics Anonymous.

Wednesday March 22. 3 pm Cub Scout Pack 59. 7:30 pm Boy Scout Troop 59. 8 pm Naomi Circle Commission on Membership and Evangelism - Evangelism Section Ministers: Rev. Terry Clay Thomason, Rev. Peter Day Hanson. 89 Church Street. 658-4519

ST GEORGE IS MEMBER NAA

Walter C St George, 409 Middlesex Avenue, has been elected a member of the Boston chapter of the National Association of Accountants.

The association unites through membership persons interested in developing through research and discussion, and exchange of information, a better understanding of the nature, purposes and uses of accounting.

Mr. St. George is an accountant for the United Fruit Company, in Boston.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

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Week of March 20.

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TOWN OF WILMINGTON



BOARD OF APPEALS

PUBLIC HEARING 6-66

A public hearing will be held in the Town Hall at 8 pm April 5, 1966 on the application of Carmelo and Blanche Conti, 261 Princeton St., East Boston, Mass (George Di Franco, Agent) for a variance to create two building lots on the corner of Blackstone and Scigliano St., each having less than required frontage and area, and to obtain building permits for same.

Louis E. Gage, Chmn.
M17, 24 Board of Appeals

PUBLIC HEARING 7-66
A public hearing will be held in the Town Hall at 8 pm April 5, 1966 on the application of Nina Barrows (Frederick Jackson, Agent) for a variance to obtain building permits for 20 lots on Woburn Street, each having sufficient frontage and area but insufficient depth according to Section V-5 of the Zoning Bylaws.

PUBLIC HEARING 8-66
A public hearing will be held in the Town Hall at 8 pm April 5, 1966, on the application of Rocco's Restaurant, Main St., (Batten Bros. Inc., Agent) for a permit to erect a sign on an existing base.

Louis E. Gage, Chmn.
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**NOTICE OF CHANGE
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**NOTICE OF CHANGE
OF CORPORATE NAME**

The undersigned officers of Mechanics Savings Bank, a corporation organized under the laws of Massachusetts located in the town of Reading, hereby give notice that the corporation at a meeting called for the purpose and by articles of amendment executed according to law by the proper officers of the corporation and deposited in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 155 of the General Laws, as amended, voted to change its name to Reading Savings Bank.

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Trustees

**COMMONWEALTH OF
MASSACHUSETTS
PROBATE COURT**

Middlesex, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of LAURETTA DAVIS late of Wilmington in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by GEORGES RYAN of Somerville in the County of Middlesex praying that he be appointed executor thereof.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-ninth day of March 1966, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John C. Leggat, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this second day of March 1966.

John V. Harvey, Register
M10, 17, 24

**COMMONWEALTH OF
MASSACHUSETTS
PROBATE COURT**

Middlesex, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of FREDERICK J. JONES, also known as FRED J. JONES late of North Reading in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that FRANK E. OWEN of North Reading in the County of Middlesex, or some other suitable person, be appointed administrator or said estate.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fifth day of April 1966, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John C. Leggat, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of February 1966.

John V. Harvey, Register
M17, 24, 31

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Specific information concerning each of the required items, quantity needed, etc. may be obtained from the Office of the School Committee, 159 Church Street, Wilmington, Massachusetts.

Sealed bids must be delivered to the above office by five P.M., March 24, 1966.

The School Committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest to do so.

Wilmington School Committee, Town of Wilmington, Massachusetts.

Harold S. Shea
Superintendent of Schools
Richard E. Keane
Chairman
M10, 17

TOWN OF WILMINGTON, MASS.



INVITES PROPOSALS

March 10, 1966

The Permanent Building Committee of the Town of Wilmington, Massachusetts solicits bids for the procurement of kitchen and cafeteria utensils, audio visual equipment, and maintenance equipment for the West Wilmington Intermediate School.

Specific information concerning each of the required items, quantity needed, etc. may be obtained from the Office of the School Committee, 159 Church Street, Wilmington, Massachusetts.

Sealed bids may be delivered to the above office by 5:00 P.M. on Monday, March 21, 1966. Bids will also be received until 8:15 P.M. in the Conference Room of Wilmington High School. Bids will be opened at 8:15 P.M. of the same day.

The Permanent Building Committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest to do so.

Town of Wilmington, Massachusetts.

Harold S. Shea
Superintendent of Schools
Robert Michelson, Chairman
Permanent Building Committee
M10, 17

TOWN OF WILMINGTON



**PLANNING BOARD
PUBLIC HEARING**

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held in the High School at 7:30 pm March 29, 1966, under the provisions of Chapter 41, Section 81T, General Laws, on the application for approval of a Definitive Plan, submitted by the Jackson Brothers, Inc. Cedar St. Wilmington, Mass., for a subdivision known as Barrows Estates, located off Woburn Street, in North Wilmington.

Austin C. Rounds, Chmn.
Wilmington Planning Board
M10, 17

**COMMONWEALTH OF
MASSACHUSETTS
PROBATE COURT**

Middlesex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of FREDERICK J. JONES also known as FRED J. JONES late of North Reading in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court praying that Frank E. Owens, special administrator of said estate be ordered to sell at public auction - private sale - certain personal estate of said ward.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-third day of March 1966.

John V. Harvey, Register
M17

**COMMONWEALTH OF
MASSACHUSETTS
PROBATE COURT**

Middlesex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of DONALD M. ALLEN late of Wilmington, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by WARNER P. ALLEN and NANCY T. ALLEN of Wilmington in the County of Middlesex praying that they be appointed executors thereof without giving a surety on their bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-second day of March 1966, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John C. Leggat, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of February 1966.

John V. Harvey, Register
M3, 10, 17

**COMMONWEALTH OF
MASSACHUSETTS
PROBATE COURT**

Middlesex, ss.

To BERTRAM G. SALLEN of Boston now commorant at Fort Bragg in the State of North Carolina;

A petition has been presented to said Court by JEFFREY R. SALLEN of North Reading in the County of Middlesex by ELEANOR G. SALLEN of said North Reading, his mother and next friend, representing that said Bertram G. Sallen held 509.442 shares of Keystone Custodial Funds, Inc. as custodian for said Jeffrey R. Sallen under the Uniform Gift to Minors Act; that said respondents have wrongfully converted said assets to their own use; and praying for temporary restraining orders and preliminary injunctions; for an accounting; for costs and for such further relief as may seem meet.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file in said Court at Cambridge a written appearance and answer or other legal pleading, within twenty-one days after the twenty-eighth day of March 1966, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John C. Leggat, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of December 1965.

John V. Harvey, Register
M3, 10, 17

**COMMONWEALTH OF
MASSACHUSETTS
PROBATE COURT**

Middlesex ss.

To EDWARD M. NEILSON of Wilmington in the County of Middlesex, and to his wife, heirs apparent or presumptive and to the Massachusetts Department of Mental Health.

A petition has been presented to said Court alleging that said Edward M. Neilson has become incapacitated by reason of advanced age and mental weakness to care properly for his property and praying that MILDRED E. NEILSON of Wilmington in said County, or some other suitable person, be appointed conservator of his property.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-ninth day of March 1966, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John C. Leggat, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this second day of March 1966.

John V. Harvey, Register
M10, 17, 24

**COMMONWEALTH OF
MASSACHUSETTS
PROBATE COURT**

Middlesex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of LAVINA I. PRICE JOHNSON sometimes known as LAVINA JOHNSON late of North Reading in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that DOROTHY E. BENNETT of North Reading in the County of Middlesex or some other suitable person, be appointed administratrix of said estate.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-first day of March 1966, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John C. Leggat, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighteenth day of February 1966.

John V. Harvey, Register
M3, 10, 17

**COMMONWEALTH OF
MASSACHUSETTS
PROBATE COURT**

Middlesex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of FLORA E. MARSHALL late of Wilmington in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by ELVA E. HOPKINS of Wilmington in the County of Middlesex praying that she be appointed executrix thereof without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the thirtieth day of March 1966, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John C. Leggat, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourth day of March 1966.

John V. Harvey, Register
M10, 17, 24

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
LAND COURT**

34106 Reg.

To the TOWN OF WILMINGTON, a municipal corporation, located in the County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth; LLOYD A. LAFFIN, FLORENCE A. LAFFIN, HARRY MCPHEE, MARY MCPHEE, KENNETH D. ALEXANDER, IDA L. ALEXANDER, ARTHUR KELL, MARY KELL, LINWOOD L. HORSMAN, ELAINE H. HORSMAN, BARBARA ALEXANDER, all of said Wilmington; JOYCE P. ROGERS and RICHARD J. ROGERS, both of Medford, in said County of Middlesex; and to all whom it may concern:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by ARTHUR V. LYNCH, JR. and MARY T. LYNCH, both of said Wilmington, to register and confirm their title in the following described land:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situate in said Wilmington, bounded and described as follows:

Northwesterly by Cottage Street 150 feet; Northeasterly by land now or formerly of Lloyd A. Laffin and Florence A. Laffin 192.61 feet; Southeasterly by land now or formerly of Harry McPhee and Mary McPhee, by land now or formerly of Kenneth D. Alexander and Ida L. Alexander, by land now or formerly of Arthur Kell and Mary Kell, and by land now or formerly of Linwood L. Horsman and Elaine H. Horsman 155.17 feet; and Southwesterly by land now or formerly of Richard J. Rogers and Joyce P. Rogers 232.34 feet.

The above described land is shown on a plan filed with said petition and all boundary lines are claimed to be located on the ground as shown on said plan.

If you desire to make any objection or defense to said petition you or your attorney must file a written appearance and an answer under oath, setting forth clearly and specifically your objections or defense to each part of said petition, in the office of the Recorder of said Court in Boston (at the Court House), or in the office of the Assistant Recorder of said Court at the Registry of Deeds at Lowell in the County of Middlesex where a copy of the plan filed with said petition is deposited, on or before the fourth day of April next.

Unless an appearance is so filed by or for you, your default will be recorded, the said petition will be taken as confessed and you will be

forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, ELWOOD H. HETRICK, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this second day of March in the year nineteen hundred and sixty-six.

Attest with Seal of said Court, (Seal) MARGARET M. DALY, M10, 17, 24 Recorder
Alan Altman, Esquire, 388 Main Street, Wilmington, Mass.

**COMMONWEALTH OF
MASSACHUSETTS**

Middlesex, ss.

To ALICE T. MARDEN of North Reading in the County of Middlesex, and to her heirs apparent or presumptive and to the Massachusetts Department of Mental Health.

A petition has been presented to said Court alleging that said Alice T. Marden has become incapacitated by reason of advanced age and mental weakness to care properly for her property and praying that ELEANOR M. LUEBKER of North Reading, in said County, or some other suitable person, be appointed conservator of her property.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the sixth day of April 1966, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John C. Leggat, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of March 1966.

John V. Harvey, Register
M17, 24, 31

**MORTGAGEE'S SALE
OF REAL ESTATE**

By virtue and in the execution of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by RONALD J. WELLS and CHARLES T. SCHUMAKER as tenants in common but not as joint tenants, to Sidney J. Rosenthal dated September 23, 1965 and recorded with Middlesex North District Deeds as Document #44104 noted on Certificate of Title #13580, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction at 11:00 A.M. on Saturday, April 9, 1966, on the premises hereinafter described in said mortgage, to wit:

That certain parcel of land situate in Wilmington in the County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth, bounded and described as follows: SOUTHEASTERLY by Garner Street, three hundred ten and 90/100 (310.90) feet; SOUTH WESTERLY by Main Street, two hundred and 4/100 (200.04) feet; NORTHWESTERLY by Montrose Avenue, three hundred seven and 58/100 (307.58) feet; and NORTHEASTERLY by Lots 252 and 227, two hundred (200) feet. All of said boundaries are determined by the Land Court to be located as shown on subdivision plan 6462B, Sheet two (2), drawn by Dana F. Perkins, Surveyor, dated Nov. 1951, as approved by the Court, filed in the Land Registration Office, a copy of a portion of which is filed with Certificate of Title 1818, and said land is shown as Lots two hundred twenty-eight (228) to two hundred fifty-one (251) inclusive on said plan.

Terms of Sale: Premises will be sold subject to any and all unpaid taxes, tax titles, municipal liens or assessments, if any. \$1,000 in cash, certified or bank treasurer's check will be required as a deposit by the purchaser at the time and place of the sale, the balance within ten days after the date of the sale. Other terms will be announced at the sale.

Sidney J. Rosenthal, c/o Harry Gordon, 31 State Street, Boston, Mass., present holder of said mortgage.

March 17, 24, 31, 1966

Donna Nichols Art Student

Miss Donna Nichols, 315 Burlington Avenue is among the talented High School students from all over New England who have been awarded prizes of free tuition in a survey course in art, at the studios of the Boston Museum School. For seven Saturday afternoons, ending April 9th, the youngsters will be given introductory talks and demonstrations in each of the fields of Commercial Art and Design, Drawing and Graphic Arts;

Painting; Sculpture; Ceramics; Jewelry and Silversmithing, and Teacher Training. On the last day a Museum trop and convocation, with presentation of certificates, and a Garden Court reception are scheduled at the Museum of Fine Arts. Parents and teachers are invited to attend. Mrs Marsha Z Davis, Wilmington High School, is the Art Teacher under whom Donna has been studying.

Correction

Little League Registration

In reporting the Little League Registration, last week, the Town Crier inadvertently printed an error. The Town Crier reported that boys had to reach the age of nine before May 1st. In order to be eligible to register.

The correct date is July 31st. If a boy reaches the age of nine before the summer playing session is ended he is eligible to play. Registration is to be held Saturday, at the American Legion Hall, between the hours of 9 am and noon. At least one parent should accompany each boy.



MRS NEILSON ELECTED LIBRARY TRUSTEE ASSN OFFICIAL

Mrs Larz Neilson, 57 High St., a member of the Board of Trustees of the Wilmington Public Library, has been elected the Second Vice President of the Massachusetts Library Trustees Association.

The new president is Mrs Marion N Chandler of Winchester and the First Vice President Richard Noy of Chelmsford.

Mrs Neilson will be representing the Wilmington Library Trustees at an institute to be conducted at Simmons College, School of Library Science, to be held on April 16th. The subject is to be 'Staffing the Small Library'.

Corrigan Medal for Evelyn Kaminski

Mrs Evelyn Kaminski, 23 Fairmeadow Road, was one of nine recipients of the Corrigan Medal, awarded last Sunday at Boston College before 300 people.

Msgr. John Carroll, Archdiocesan Director of the Catholic Youth Organization, presented the medals at the annual Day of Recollection for Catholic Den Mothers. The Corrigan Medal is given annually to the outstanding Den Mothers of the Archdiocese of Boston in recognition of their service to God and Country, and is the highest Catholic award in the Cub Scout program.

Mrs Kaminski is a member of St. Dorothy's Parish and has been a Den Mother of Pack 56 for over five years. She is the first woman of the area to be awarded the Corrigan Medal.

Evening School Open House March 24th

The Evening Division of the Wilmington Public Schools will conduct their annual Open House at the High School, next Thursday, from 7 to 9 pm.

An additional feature will be displays of the Day School, Industrial Arts and Home Economics.

BECKY HARTWELL ON COLLEGE HONOR LIST

Miss Rebecca J Hartwell, daughter of Mr and Mrs Henry Hartwell of Butters Row has been named to the Dean's List, at Garland Junior College, in Boston, for the first semester.

Miss Hartwell is a senior in the art program.

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